Form 3160-5 (August 2007)

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR **BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT**

FORM APPROVED OMB No 1004-0137 Expires July 31, 2010

5. Lease Serial No. NMNM16835

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

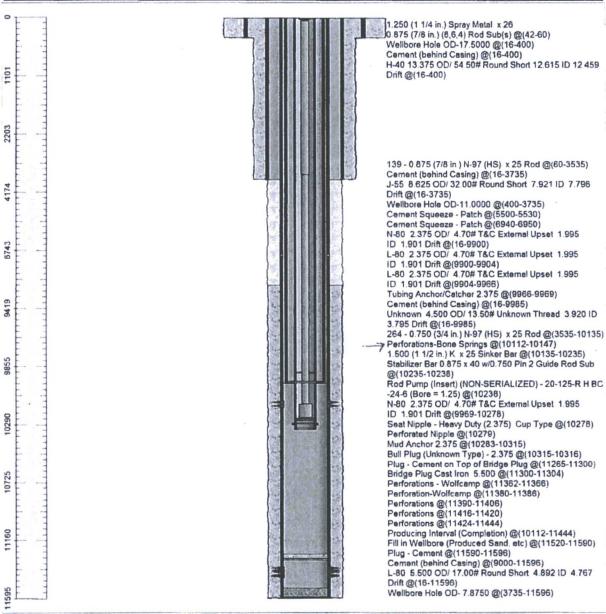
SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS

Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to re-enter an abandoned well. Use Form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals.							
SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE – Other instructions on page 2.					7. If Unit of CA/Agreement, Name and or No		
1 Type of Well			,				
✓ Oil Well Gas Well Other					8. Well Name and No. NEUHAUS 14 FED #2		
2 Name of Operator CHEVRON USA INC					9. API Well No. 30-025-31970		
			include area code)		10. Field and Pool or Ex	ploratory Area	
				LEA			
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T.R.M. or Survey Description) SEC 14 T208, R35E 660 FNL & 1650 FEL					11. Country or Parish, S LEA CO., NM	tate	
12. CHEC	CK THE APPROPRIATE BOX	K(ES) TO INDI	CATE NATURE OF	гои	TICE, REPORT OR OTHE	R DATA	
TYPE OF SUBMISSION			TYPE ()F A	CTION		
✓ Notice of Intent	Acidize	Deepe	n [Pr	oduction (Start/Resume)	Water Shut-Off	
Notice of Intent	Alter Casing	Fractu	re Treat	Re	eclamation	Well Integrity	
Subsequent Report	Casing Repair	New C	Construction	Re	complete	Other	
bussequant topot	Change Plans	Plug a	nd Abandon	Te	emporarily Abandon		
Final Abandonment Notice	Convert to Injection	Plug B	lack [Jw	ater Disposal	E HAN ARE THE REAL TRANSPORT OF THE PROPERTY O	
1. NOTIFY BLM 24 HRS BEFORE 2. SET CIBP@10050' AND SPOT 2 3. CIRCULATE WELLBORE WITH 4. NOTIFY BLM TO WITNESS MIT 5. FILE SUBSEQUENT REPORT. ALL FLUIDS WILL BE IN CLOSED Approved	SEE ATTACHI	ED FOR	ND RECORD FOR			HOBBS OCD MAY 2 3 2017 RECEIVED	
14 I hereby certify that the foregoing is	true and correct Name (Printed	(Typed)					
M. LEE ROARK			Title PROJECT	MANA	AGER		
Signature M Ha	Tink		Date 02/27/2017				
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Approved by Conditions of approval, if any, are attache that the applicant holds legal or equitable				19	E	pate 2/28/17	
entitle the applicant to conduct operations	thereon					Ká	
Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 and Title 43 fictitious or fraudulent statements or repr				allful	ly to make to any department	or agency of the United States any false	

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Chevron U.S.A. Inc. Wellbore Diagram: NEU 14 F 2B

Lease: OEU EUNICE FMT	Well No.: NEUHAUS 14 FED 2 2	Field: FEATHERSTONE EAST		
Location: 660FNL1650FEL	Sec.: N/A	Blk:	Survey: N/A	
County: Lea St.: New Mexico	Refno: QU2085	API: 3002531970	Cost Center: UCRD40100	
Section: E035	Township: 14		Range: S020	
Current Status: ACTIVE		Dead Man Anchors Test Date: NONE		
Directions:				



Ground Elevation (MSL): 3662.00	Spud Date: 06/03/1993	Compl. Date: 01/01/1800
Well Depth Datum: Kelly Bushing	Elevation (MSL): 3678.00	Correction Factor: 16.00
Last Updated by: keli	Date: 06/10/2015	

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Approved for a period of 6 months ending 08/28/2017 subject to conditions of approval.

Temporary Abandonment of Wells on Federal Lands Conditions of Approval

A temporarily abandoned well is defined as a completion that is not capable of production in paying quantities but which may have value as a service well. Pursuant to 43 CFR 3162.3-4 (c), no well may be temporarily abandoned for more than 30 days without the prior approval of the authorized officer.

Temporary Abandonment (TA) status approval requires a successful mechanical or casing integrity test as follows:

- 1. A Notice of Intent (NOI) Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5) requesting approval to run a mechanical integrity test (MIT) or casing integrity test (CIT).
- 2. A description of the temporary abandonment procedure.
 - a. A bridge plug or packer must be installed as close to 50 feet above any open perforations or open hole as possible. If a cement plug is used, the top of the cement must be verified by tagging. CIBP must be capped with minimum 25 sacks cement, placed with tubing, or 35 feet of cement if placed with bailer.
 - b. The wellbore must be filled with corrosion inhibited fluid and pressure tested to 500 psi. The casing shall be capable of holding this pressure for at least 30 minutes. Any leak-off will be evaluated.
 - c. All downhole production/injection equipment (tubing, rods, etc.) shall be removed from the casing if they are not isolated by a packer.
 - d. A bradenhead test must be conducted. If the test indicates a problem exists, a remedial plan and time frame for remediation shall be submitted within ninety (90) days of the test.
 - e. Contact the appropriate BLM office at least 24 hours prior to the scheduled Casing Integrity Test. For wells in Eddy County, 575-361-2822; Lea County 575-393-3612.
- 3. Provides justification why the well should be temporarily abandoned rather than permanently plugged and abandoned and an estimated date that the well will be returned to beneficial use or plugged and abandoned. 43 CFR 3162.3-4 (a) The operator shall promptly plug and abandon...wells in which oil or gas is not encountered in paying quantities...

Wells that successfully pass the casing integrity test **may** be approved for Temporary Abandonment (TA) status provided that the operator:

- 1. Submits a subsequent Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5) requesting TA approval with well bore diagram with all perforations and CIBP's and tops of cement on CIBP's.
- 2. Describes the temporary abandonment procedure.
- 3. Attaches a clear copy or the original of the pressure test chart.
- Give justification to allow well to be place in TA status and plan for future use of well with time frame that well will be place back on line or plans to P&A well will be submitted.

If the well does not pass the casing integrity test, then the operator shall within 30 days submit to BLM for approval one of the following:

- 1. A procedure to repair the casing so that a TA approval can be granted.
- 2. A procedure to plug and abandon the well.

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- 1. Well is approved to be TA for a period of 6 months or until 08/28/2017
- 2. This will be the last TA approval for this well.
- 3. Must submit NOI to recomplete or NOI to P&A. Must be submitted by 08/28/2017